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Tutor Teaching Tips

Fruit (A)

MATERIALS

Leveled reader

Graphic organizer

Game cards

Leveled reader

Before Reading 3–5 minutes

BUILD BACKGROUND: Ask: *What kinds of fruit do you like to eat? What kind is your favorite? What kind do you like least? Why?*

PREVIEW THE BOOK: Show the child the pictures on the front and back covers of the book. Read the title together. Ask: *What do you think this book is about?* Without reading the book, look at each picture in the book. Ask: *What fruit is on this page? What other kinds of fruit do you think might be in the book?* Have the child look at the remaining pages to see what other fruit is in the book.

During Reading 10–15 minutes

Sit next to the child and read the book to the child. Have the child follow each word with his/her finger. Next read the book aloud and have the child read along with you. Finally, ask the child to read the book aloud by himself/herself. If the child reads a word that doesn't make sense, ask: *Did what you read make sense?* Have the child try to sound out any words he/she doesn't know. Ask: *What sound does this word start with? What sound is at the end of the word? What word makes sense here?* If the child still cannot work out the word, tell him/her the word. Ask the child to reread the sentence with the word and then continue reading the book.

After Reading 10–15 minutes

RETELL: Ask the child to retell the story. Prompt with questions such as: *What other fruits were in the book?*

Guide the child to complete the graphic organizer. Have the child check the book to find what kinds of fruit are in the book.

READER RESPONSE: Ask: *Did your mouth water when you read about one special fruit? Which one? Can you imagine how it smells, or how it feels in your hands? Can you imagine what it tastes like?* Allow time for the child to think about each question and respond. If the child cannot answer, help him/her find the answer in the book.

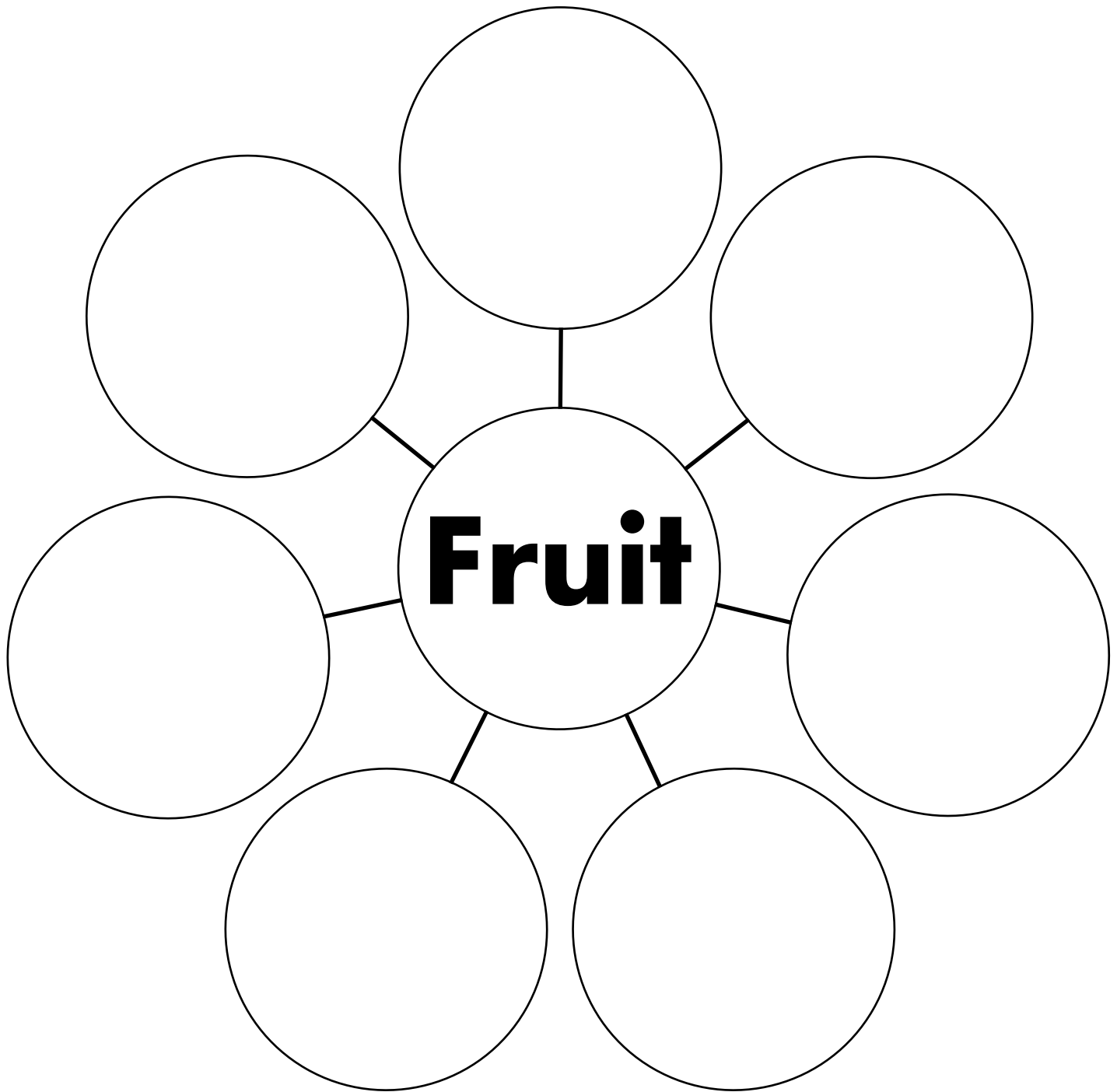
Optional Activities

WRITING: Ask the child to draw a picture on the inside back cover of the book of his/her favorite fruit. Have the child dictate a sentence for you to write under the picture.

VOCABULARY GAME: Read each word on the game cards with the child. Mix up the cards and spread the words face down on one side of the table and the pictures face down on the other side. Have the child turn over a word and a picture. If the cards match, the child keeps the cards. If they don't match, the child turns them back over. It is now your turn.

Home Connection

Encourage the child to take the book home for practice.



INSTRUCTIONS: Read the word in the center circle with the child. Have the child find the different kinds of fruit in the book and record them on the web by writing the word and/or drawing the picture in the outside circles.

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Fruit (A)

cherry



pear



banana



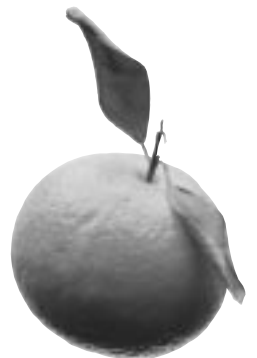
tomato



apple



orange



lemon

